For All Licensure Applicants

The Licensing Department is receiving a tremendous volume of mail and faxes every day.

This is peak season for our Licensing Department as the majority of Texas PT and PTA programs graduate in May. One new PT program and three new PTA programs here in Texas are graduating their first class this month and have added to the number of applications and associated documents that are currently being processed. Additionally, there are a number of out-of-state applicants applying for their initial license in Texas.

The Licensing Department also processes a significant volume of applications and required items for OT and OTA applicants who graduate during this time of year. Applications by endorsement for PTs/PTAs and OTs/OTAs who are licensed in other states are being processed as well.

Please allow up to 7 business days for us to process items once they have been received. Status information is updated at the END of each business day. Your Applicant Password allows you to check your status online at www.ptot.texas.gov/page/applicant-status-lookup. You should receive your applicant password up to 7 business days after your application has been processed.

Please be assured that all items that are received are being processed as quickly and efficiently as possible. Numerous phone calls and emails throughout the day slow the process down.

Thank you for your patience and understanding!